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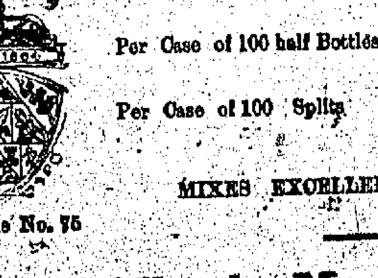
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General Managers. Hongkong, February 6, 1906.

HONGKONG AND WFAMPOA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

1765 held in the OFFICES of the COMPANY, below, which were passed at the Extraoro'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving 1996 will be submitted for confirmation as the Report of the Directors and the State- Special Resolutions. ment of Accounts to the 31st December.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 12th to the 26th February, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors.

THOS. I. ROSE, **Secretary**

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHARFHOLDERS.

THE THIRTY SEVENTH ORDIN-ARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will he held at the OFFICES of the COMPANY, King's Buildings, Connaught Road, on WEDNES DAY, the 7th day of March, 1906, at 12 o'clock (Noon), to receive a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1985, and the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consult. ing Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st

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Chung Hue and the Mainland, at ranges up to 8,000 yards, commencing
7 P.M., and finishing at 9 P.M. i
On THURSDAY, 22nd February:— From Stonecutters Island towards Tsun-wan Hay, and between Chung Hue and the Mainland, in a Westerly direction, at ranges up to 8,000 yards,

finishing at 12 Noon. On FRIDAY, 23rd February :-From Pinewood in a North Westerly direction, at ranges up to 6,000 yards, commencing at 2.3) p.m., and finishing at 5 P.M.

commencing at 93; A.M., and

On SATURDAY, 24th February :-From Stonecuttors Island, towards Tsun-wan Bay, and between Chung Hue and the Mainland, in a Westerly Tion direction, at ranges up to 8,000 yards, commencing at 9.30 A.M., and nicishing at 13 Noon. On TUESDAY, 27th February :--

From Pinewood, in a North-Westerly direction, at ranges up to 6,000 yards, commencing at 2.30 p.m., and finishing at 6 p.m.

From Stonecuters Island, towards Tsunwan Bay, and between Chung Hue and the Mainland, at ranges up to 8,000 yards, commencing at 9.3) A.M., and finishing at 11 A.M.

On THURSDAY, 1st March :-From Eastern Defences, towards Waglan, at ranges up to 14,000 yards, commencing at 10 A M., and finishing at

On FRIDAY, 2nd March :-From Stoneculture Island, in a Westerly direction, at ranges up to 14,000 yards, commencing at 10 A.M., and finishing at 12 Noon. If the weather is unfavourable on either of the above dates, Practice will take place Practice of 20th February, (Night Firing)

of 22nd, 23rd and 24th,— Monday 26th February. of 27th, and 28th; or 1st, 2nd and Saturday, 3rd March. All ships, junks and other vessels are to keep clear of the ranges. L. BARNES-LAWRENCE,

Captain, R. N., Harbour Master, &c. Hongkong, February 17, 1906.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY HALF Y ARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 24th day of February, 19 6, at Noon, for New and additional shafts at the Take, the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1975. By Order of the Court of Directora (Od.) o. Iv. M. SMITH,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 1, 1906,

THE SEVENTEENTH ORDINARY HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK ING CORPORATION:

the OFFICE of the GENERAL MANA- NTOTICE IN HEREBY GIVEN that GERS, St George's Building, Victoria, on the REGISTER of SHARES of the SATURDAY, the 24th February, 1966, at Corporation will be CLOSED from 11.30 A.M., for the purpose of receiving SATURDAY, 10th February, to the 24th Statement of Accounts and the Report of day of February (both days inclusive), the General Managers for the year ending during which period no Transfer of Shares 31st December, 19 5, declaring a Dividend of be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors, (Sd.) J. R. M. SMITH, Ohief Manager,

Hongkong, February 1, 1908.

OHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

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JAMES WHITTALL, Secretary. RESOLUTIONS:

That the Articles of Association of the Company be altered in the following marmor:-The following Acticle shall be substituted for Article 130, namely : 150. The Board, through its Secretary.

shall make Yearly Statements of the Accounts of the Company from the lat day of January to the Sist day of TONGRONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAM December, in each and every year, which sholl be only sudited and pre-sented to the Shareholders, at each of the Ordinary Meetings of the Company, together with a Report on the general position of the Company That the Board, through its Secretury, shall make a Statement of the Accounts of the Company as from the lat day of May, 1905, to the 31stday of December, 1905, which shall be duly audited and presented to the Shareholders at the next Ordinary Meeting of the Company to be held during 1906 and that, insamuch as the Accounts of the Company have

already been audited and presented to the Shareholders to the Shareholders April 1905, co further or other, Statements of the Accounts of the Company for the year 1905, shall he called for by or presented to the Shareholders in respect of Article 130 as this day substituted. Dated the February 16, 1905.

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THE HONGKONG ST ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

THE SCOTOH HISTORY EXAMINA-I TION (advertised in August last) for Children of Scotch parentage, will be held in the CITY HALL, on THURSDAY, 8th Names of Intending Competitors should

be sent to the Undersioned who will be pleased to supply any further particulars which may be required. W. ARMSTRONG. Hon. Secretary. (c/o Butterfield & Swire).

Hongkong, February 16, 1906.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO.,

LIMITED.

THE THIRTY SEVENTH ORDIN ARY MEETING of Shareholders in TANY'S OFFICES, No. 3, Queen's Read S. MOUTRIE & Co., Central, Victoria, on THURSDAY, the 222 8th March, 1906, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1905.
The TRANSPER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOBED from 23rd February

to the 8th March, both days inclusive. C. PEMBERTON. Acting Secretary. Hongkong, February 10, 1906.

PPLICATIONS are invited for the Appointments of 2 FEMALE PRO-BATIONER NURSES in the MEDICAL DEPARTMENT of Hongkong. Applicants must be of British parentage and not under

Applications in Handwriting of the CIVIL MEDICAL OPPICER, at the Civil

SALARY, etc., of each Appointment :-Quenn's Buildings, New Prays, on dinary General Meeting of the Company \$480 rising by annual increments of 504 to MONDAY, the 26th February, 1906, at 12 held on the Sixteenth day of February, 2600 per Annua, with Uniform, attendance, Free Farnished Quarters and an Allowance of \$84 per Annum for Fuel and Full particulars may be had on applica-

> By Order, J. BELL,

Government Civil Hospital, Hongkong, February 15, 1906.

> (IN LIQUIDATION) TIME TABLE.

WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

WEEK DAYS. 7.00 a m. to 7.30 a.m.... Every 30 mir are-7.30 a.m. to 8.00 a.m.... Every 10 minutes 8.00 a.m. to 8.20 a.m ... Every 15 minutes 8.39 a.m. to 2.29 s.m. .. Every 10 minute. 9.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m... Every 15 minutes. 11,30 a.c. to 12.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes. 12.45 r.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes. 1.16 p.m. to 1.40 p.m. Kvery 16 minutes. 1.45 p.m. to 2.16 p.m... Every 10 minutes. 2.15 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. .. Every 15 minutes, ō.w p.m. 10 d. m p.m. .. Every 10 monnies

NIGHT CARE. 8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m., 9.45 p.m. to 11.15 p.m. every half hour. SUNDAYS.

8.00 a.m. to 9.00 a.m... Every 15 minutes 9.00 a.m. to 9.80 s.m... Every 30 mingter 9.30 m. to 10.30 a.m. Every 15 minutes 10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes 12.00 Noon to 1.00 p.m... Every 10 minutes 1.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m... Every 15 minutes 5.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m., Every 10 minutes. 6.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m... Every 15 minutes, .00 n.m. to 8.00 p.m., Every 10 minutes. NIGHT CARS as on Week Days,

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OUR COAL TRADE.

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Last Year's Returns.

Chamber of Commerce has compiled a return of the coalshipments from the Welsh ports during the past year. From the whole of the United Kingdom 47,478,707 tons of coal were shipped foreign, an increase of 1,221,160 tons of the 1904 total, and 17,396,146 to s of bunkers, anincrease of 205,246 tons. From Cardiff 14,080,855 tons were sent abroad last year. a decrease of 849,755 tone, and 2,798,474 tone of bunkers, a decrease of 17,727 tons. Newport exported 3,008,001 tons and shipped 577,485 tons of bunkers, a loss of 135,998 and 10,28) tons respectively. Swansea sent 1,928,459 tons foreign, an increase of 184,450 tons, and shipped 322,010 tons of bunkers, a decrease of 16,868 tons, while Port Talbot exported 726,103 tons foreign and 185,367 tons of bunkers, an increase of 80,898 tons and 37,066 tons respectively. South Wales's loss in coal exports last year is attributable to the cossation of the Russo-Japaneso war. For some years South Wales benefited by a series of extraordinary demands, such as the French strike, the South African troubles, and the American strike. It remains to be seen whether any abnormal requirement will be developed this year. Without a strike in Westphalia we shall possibly see reduced coal exports from the North, while South Wales may regain some of its lost ground. That the character of the present year's coal export business will prove unsatisfactory to shippers there is only too much reason to doubt, unless indeed they allow a wider margin for freights than is generally done when quoting for c.i.f. contracts. Then, also, the buyers abroad are becoming more powerful, and seem to be able to exercise a greater control over prices than formerly. They have every means of keeping themselves throughly posted, and the advantage of the keenest competition for their orders. Be_ sides this, their methods are systematic, and they seem better able to measure the volume of tride and its trend as the result of taking a wider view of the situation. The crowing importance of buyers as compared with the standing of sellers does not promise altogether well for the latter, quite apart from the question of competition, since weight plways tells in the long run. Possibly the position will merit careful consideration as the events of the year leave their experiences behind thish. Fairplay.

Insurances.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIGTAL FUNDS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1904. 1—Authorised Capital £3,000,000

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The Accoumulated Funds of the Fire and Life Departments are free from liability in respect of each other. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

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INTERESTING ARCHMOLOGICAL FIND.

1000 Year Old Betrothal Ring.

Whilst a labourer was breaking stones for road-mending purposes at Wanborough, the site of an old Roman camp, he discovered a ring, which he disposed of for a fee chillings. The ring was taken to some experts, who pronounced it to be of considerable interest and value, inasmuch as an inscription on it seemed to show that it was a betrothal ring belonging to Bucrried, King of the Mercians, who married Ethelwitha, daughter of Ethelwulf, King of Wessex, in the year 853. The marriage was celebrated at Chippenham, which is some eighteen miles from the place where the ring was found. Trouble having arisen as to the real ownership of a relic of such value, a treasure trove inquiry will be held in due course.

IRISH JUDGE AND GRAND JURY.

Severe Judicial Remarks.

A remarkable scene took place at Castle. blaney Quarter Sessions, Ireland, between Judge Craig and the Grand Jury, who persistently came into court with no bill against a man who was charged with

assault. Bis honour, on their first refusal, asked if it was because the accused was Presbytorian that they refused to find a bill, and on their second appearence he besought them to cast religion and everything else aside and to do justice between

man and woman. When they refused the third time to find a bill, in what the judge said was as clear a case as ever came before him, he discharged them, with the remark that a greater miscarriage of justice had never been perpetrated since he came into the county of Monaghan. They might go home now, and he never wanted to see any of them again.

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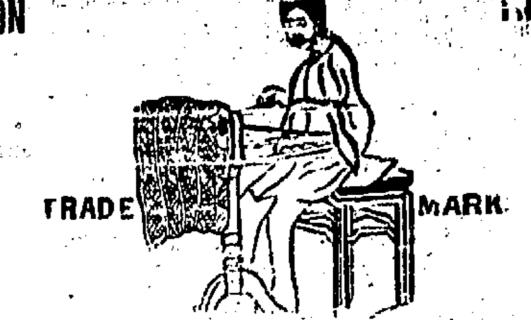
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Hongkong, February 14, 1906. iii . .

HOTEL. KYOTO, JAPAN.

A NEW AND STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc

tions to Sell by Public Auction,

MONDAY,

the 26th February, 1906, at 11.30 a.m., at

the Automatic Photo Studio

(at the back of Messrs WATKINS, LTD.),-

A QUANTITY OF

A Quantity of FURNITURE. MISCEL-

On View from Saturday, the 24th Febru-

GEORGE P. LAMMERT,

Auctioneer.

LANEOUS PHOTOGRAPHIC GEAR, AUTOMATIC

Hongkong, February 21, 1906.

PUBLICE dAUCTION.

Particulars and Conditions of the Letting

Lot of Crown Land at Peng Chau Is-

land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for

Particulars of the Let.

TERMS :- As Customary.

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FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED, SATURDAY

tions to Sell by Public Auction,

the 24th February, 1906, at 2.30 P.M., a their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vœux Road, Corner of Ice House Street,-SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

NEW DOUBLE BRASS BEDSTEADS, A One STUDIO CAMERA, in Excellent Condition Quantity of CANTON BLACKWOOD WARE, One | PLATE do CABPETS, MARBLE-TOP SIDEBOARD with Two Bosco AUTOMATIO TIN TYPE BEVELLED GLASS, SILE TAPESTRY DRAWING ROOM SUITE, TEARWOOD WARDROBES with One STAMP ATTACHMENT for Studio Camera; BEVELLED GLASS, MARBLE-TOP WASH-STANDS, DRESSING TABLES, TEAKWOOD EXTENSION DISING TABLE, VIENNA CHAIRS, E.-P. GLASS and CROCKERY WARE, &c., SWEET MACHINES, &c., &c.

Catalogues will be issued. TERMS :- As usual: HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers. Hoogkong, February 21, 1906.

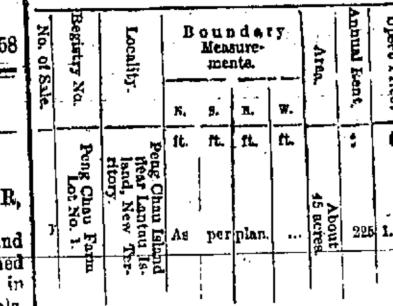
PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instruc-

tions to Sell by Public Auction, TUESDAY,

the 27th February, 1905, commencing a 2.45 PM, at BROCKHURST' (Mo. 113) PLANTATION ROAD, The Peak,-VATULDILE DANGEDORE FURNITURE,

(Particulars from Catalogue). Terms :-- As Customary. On View from Monday, the 26th February, 1906. GEO. P. LAMMERT,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, Kebruary 20, 1906,



a term of 75 years.

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THE Undersigned has received instruc-L tions from CAPT. T. E. COCKER, to Sell by Public Auction.

SATURDAY.

A QUARTITY OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

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A Few Pieces Canton Blackwood Ware, Chow Fa TERMS :- As Customary.

GEO. P. LAMMERI, Auctioneer.



THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Captain Superin-TENDENT OF POLICE, to Sell by Public

MONDAY, Box the 26th February, 1906, at 11 A.M., at the CENTRAL POLICE STATION COMPOUND, --

HUGHES & HOUGH, Government Auctioneers.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from BASIL H. TAYLOR, Esq. to Sell by Public Auction,

MONDAY:

MOUNTAIN VIEW TI Peak, His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Tand

JAPANESE and other WATER COLOURS. One BIOYOLE;

TERMS :- As customary. On view from Saturday, the 24th Febru-GEO. P. LAMMERT, Auctioneer. Hongkong, February 20, 1906.

MAR GEO. P. LAMMERT has received VI instructions to Sell at his Auction ROOMS IN DUDDELL STREET,

PUBLIC AUCTION.

Particulars and Conditions of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 26th day of February, 1936, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of Une Lot of CROWN LAND at Kowloon, in the Colony of Hongkong, from 22nd day of January, 1906, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent. to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

Particulars of the Lot. Boundary. Mensuromedis. H. SE. E. It. It. It. It. 106 63 189 237 19,032 152 7,613

PUBLIC AUCTION. BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES

Ween instructed to Sell by Public AUCTION.

MESSRS HUGHES & HOUGH have

TUESDAY, the 20th day of MAROH, 1908, at 12 o'clock Noon, at their Auction Room, No. 8, DES VEUX ROAD CENTRAL -(Corner of Ice House Street).

THE VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY egistered in the Land Office as SUB. SECTION No. 2 SECTION A OF INLAND LOT No. 25 And THE REMAINING PORTION OF SECTION A OF INL ND LOT No. 25. This property comprises Nos. 1, 3, 5 and LOWER LABOAR ROW, Viotoria, Hong-

Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be had from the Vendor's Solicitors; Mesars DEACON, LOOKER & DEACON. No. 1. Des Voeux Road Central; And also from the AUCTIONEERS. Hongkong, February 17, 1906.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

24th February, 1906, commencing at

DE: VŒUX VIILAS, The Peak,-

Comprising: TEAR EXTENSION DINING TABLE, SIDE.

by 'John Brinsmead & Sons.' On View from Friday, the 23rd February,

Hongkong, February 17, 1906.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

SUNDRY OBSOLETE AND CONDEMNED STORES, Comprising :-RICE, SUGAR, OLD METAL, CLOTHING, &c., &c., &c.;

A Quantity of Silver, Gold DIAMOND JEWELLERY. Terms :-- As usual.

Hongkong, February 20, 1906.

the 26th February, 1906, commencing a 2 45 P.M., at his Residence No. 2,

A Quantity of PLANTS IN POIS.

One Apollo Plano Player with 80 Rolls Music.

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W. G. WINTERBURN,

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FRIDAY. the 2nd day of MAROH, 1908, at 3 P.M.,-The following:

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY in Two Lots namely :-LOT 1. ALL THAT piece or parcel of Leasehold Ground known and registered in

the Land Office as ECTION A OF SUB-SECTION No. 1 SECTION A OF IN-LAND LOT No. 148 abutting in front for a term of 75 years commencing towards the North on Came Road and containing on that side by admeasurement 29 feet 10 inches of assize little more or less; in rear towards the South on a right of way and containing on that eide by admeasurement 29 feet 10 inches of assize little more or less; towards the East on the Remaining Portion of Section A of Inland Lot No. 148 and containing on that side by admeasurement at the centre of a party wall 66 feet of assize little more or and towards the West of the Remaining Portion of Subsection A of Inland Lot. No. 148 and containing on of a party wall 66 feet of assize little BUNGALOW and Garden From 1st that side by admeasurement at the centre nore or less At a 2,598. 6 square feet. May, 1306, f.r 12 months. Crown Rent \$7. On this Lot stands the valuable leasohold massuage and premises known as No. 24 Caine Road.

LOT 2. AJT. THI . T wiece or parcel or reasohold ground known and registered in the Land Office as THE REMAINING PORTION OF SUBSEC-TION NO. 1 Or SECTION A OF INLAND LOT NO. 148 abutting in front towards the North on Caine Road and containing on that side by admeasurement 26 feet 2 inches of assize little more Pokfoolum. or less; in rent towards the South on a right of way and containing on that side 26 feet 2 inches of artize little more or less; townide the Letter Section A of Subsection No. 1 of Section A of Inland Lot No. 148 and containing on that side by admessurement at the courte of a party wall 66 feet The west in it is the term to the land on the West towards a right of way and containing on that side 66 feet of assize little more or lesp 7/1 Area: 2,522 quito feet. Crown Rent \$8. On this Lot stands the valuable loasehold messuage and premises known as No. 25 Calle Road. Both of the above properties are held for

the residue of a term of 99 years created by a Crown Loase dated the 17th February, Particulars and Conditions of Bale may be obtained from Messes Johnson, Stokes & Master, 8 Des Vous Road Central, Vendor's Solicitors.

Mr. GEO. P. LAMMERT. Auctioneer. Hengkong, February 19, 1948.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour. EXCLUSIVE OF LATE ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES REPORTED TO-DAY.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage as divided into sleven Sections, agreementing from Green takend. Vessels near the Hongkong shore us marked h., near the Howloon shore k., and those in the bedged the Bilipping of midway between each shore are marked on in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point. 1. From Green Island to the Gas Works. 9. From Kellet's Island to North Point, 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Whart. 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour's Offices 19. Eowloon Wharves. . r com lineboar Mastor's to the Merrict. 11. Jardines Whart.

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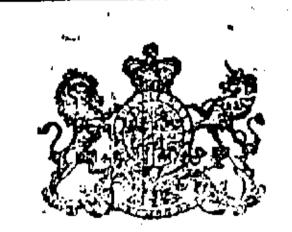
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has already progressed so far. It is as

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A lady writer in the World discusses

the recent discovery that women's

brains weigh less than men's. She

takes the reasonable view that an

ounce of brains more or less is of no

consequence so long as you are happy.

Mental capacity is not to be judged by

mathematical measurement. Women

have exercised a potent influence on

the unhappy days when he was

"baching." Then he sat down

that was of no earthly use, and sitting,

thought regretfully of the day of his

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dainty fingers arrange the lighter things

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tion of the heavy brained coolies in

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that weight is not everything. After

member of the Ethnological Society to

LOCAL AND COAST NEWS.

vas delivery in London on the 21st Feb.

weeks' gaol with six hours in the stocks

Moon last evening to an Indian named

The French Mail of the 23rd January

valuable than two ounces of silver.

Gendarme of the East.

as the ally of the greatose civilized.

9 p.m.—Performance at City Hall. Miscellaneous. 2.30 p.m .- Military Gun Practice. Transfer Books of Culna Fire Insurance Co., Ld., Close from this date to 8th

March inclusive. 4 p.m. on this date will be landed.

General Mumoranda.

ATURDAY, February 24 :-11.30 a.m.-Meeting of Green Island Cement Co., Ld., at General Manager's Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-poration, at the City Hall.

2.30 p.m. -L-Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at Messra Hughes & Hough's Sales Rooms. 2.45 p.m. - Auction of Household Furniture, at Des Voeux Road Villas, Peak.

SUNDAY, February 25 :--Goods per Jans not cleared at 4 p.m. on this date subject to rent. Tranfer Books of Hongkong Hotel Co., Ld., close from this date to 3rd March inclusive.

MONDAY, February 26:--11 a.m.-Auction of Sundry Condemned Stores, at Central Police Station's Compound. 11.30 a.m. - Auction of Photographic Gear, at Automatic Photo Studio.

Noon-Meeting of Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ld., at Co. a Office. 2.45 p.m.-Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at No. 2, Mountain View. the Peak. 3 p.m.-Auction of Crown Lands at the

the destinies of the race from Eve down Public Works Department's Offices. Goods per Oceanien unclaimed after this date at Noon will be subject to rent and landing charges. and they will probably amuse themselves until the end of things twisting Goods per Persia undelivered after this the heavier but more easily swayed date subject to rent. masculine brain as the fancy takes

TUESDAY, February 27:-2.45 p.m. - Auction of Household Furnithem. The married man who watches ture, at No. 119, Plantation Road, the his wife create order from chaos when 5.30 p.m.— Organ Recital in St John's | they shift into a new house will probably throw his recollection back to

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Thursday, March 1:—
9 p.m.—Meeting of Zetland Lodge. FRIDAY, March 2:-

3 p.m.—Auction of Leasehold Property, &c., at Mr Geo. P. Lammert's Sales BATURDAY, March 3:-

12.15 p.m.—Meeting of Hongkong Hotel Co., Ld. at Ce.'s Hotel. WEDNESDAY, March 7:-Noon-Meeting of The Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld., at Co.'s Offices.

Chursday, March 8:—

Noon—Meeting of China Fire Insurance regard to the disposition of the bulkier tlo., Ld., at Co.'s Offices.

SATURDAY, March 10 :--Noon-Meeting of China Traders' Insur ance Co., Ltd., at Co.'s Registered all, that conclusion is pretty obvious Une does not require to be a scientific

TUESDAY, March 20 :--Noon - Auction of Leasehold Property, at Mesers Hughes & Hough's Sales know that an ounce of gold is more

The Chian Mail.

HUNGKONG, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1906.

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puff which tumbles the fanciful card

well-meaning persons who had crec-

has definitely aunounced that she has

the quickening influence of Western

JAPAN AND CHINA. at the Magistracy, this morning, for stead ing a watch from the steamer "Empress of It is significant of the altered status of Japan." ment has officially warned China of the A Fatal Accident. A fatal accident occurred at Kong danger attaching to the auti-foreign

Liubo, who was employed as a watchman throughout the Middle Kingdom. The on the river steamer "Hongkong." It apmessage from Japan is significant of pears that while the steamer was lying in two things. In the first place it shows the river her propeller became fouled and the watchman was lowered over the storn that, not withstanding the "official reto try and free it. While he was there the assurances" upon which we commented propeller was suddenly set in motion and a few days ago, the Home Governmen the blades struck bin in the back inflicting is, in fact, in possession of certain in- fatal injuries. He was brought up and formation which has occasioned it an doctor summoned but he died early this morning while on the way to Hongkong. xiety. But of much greater importance is the distinct definition of Japan's Cruelty To A Pig. attitude in regard to the "Yellow A Chinaman was brought before Mr Peril." Thousands of columns of spec- C. D. Melbourne, at the Magistracy this Japan. morning, on a charge of cracky to a pig. ious reasoning have appeared in sections The case was a glaring one. The defendant of the British, Continental and Ameri with others was shown to have been engaged can press, the writers of which were in in unloading pigs from the steamer " Chun tent upon proving that the rise of Japan | Wai" into a lighter. The animals had to was fatal to the interests of the white be put over the side into the lighter which was about 25 feet below and instead of races. It was declared that Japan. lowering them the defendant dropped the Per Dozen qts.......\$ 4.50 inflated with pride in consequence animals over the side. A fine of \$3 with of her signal triumph over Russia, the alternative of five days good was 3.00 would organise the whole of the imposed. The police have much difficulty East with the initial object of wresting in preventing this sort of unnecessary crucity and are requested to be on the alert splits 2.40 all Asiacio, colonies and dependencies by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty from the grasp of the overborne western to Animale. powers and America. We were confidently invited to conjure up a vision of the British flag heing dragged down rusry, 2;-The Tashi Lama and his party

A telegram from Calcutta, dated Fel are now well inside Tibet upon their return journay to Shigatae. There was a mood eccentric standard in which the Rising deal of snow upon the Joylap la when they crossed, but no other difficulty was encountered. One of the Tashi Lama's uncles who was ill with fover while at Calcutta but who pluckily insisted on going on with the party, died at Guntuk, on the way up.

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TELEGRAPH. BY TELEGRAPH.

CHINESE LABOUR.

LORD SELBORNE SPEAKS

A Strong Defender.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bombay.) LONDON, February 21.

naturally devolves that Japan issues Lord Selborne, High Commissioner her timely warning to China. If the of South Africa, strongly defends the in a message to the Chamber of unfortunate necessity should arise Japan is eminently well equipped to employment of Chinese labour in the teach the salutary lesson which will be Rand Mines. required. As consistent opponents of

He declares that if the Liberal intensatisfaction Japan's assumption of the tion to stop the truffic is proceeded with thankless but honourable post of it will be disastrous to South Africa.

IN THE COMMONS.

The Question Debated.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bombay).

London, February 21. The debate in the House of Commons yesterday, whilst traversing other questions, was chiefly centred upon the Chinese labour question.

THE MOROCCO CONFERENCE.

a pessimistic feeling.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bombay).

London, February 21 Feeling in connection with the out come of the Morocco Conference at by a malignant dispensation of Fate, Algerica is becoming more and more offered within easy reach everything

> [neutrn's service.] THE POLICING QUESTION.

ordained by both aesthetic and utili-France's Proposals Rejected.

> LONDON, February 20. Germany rejects the proposal made by duce a general tariff.
>
> But, in his opinion, the question will not France on the 19th inst., that the police should be officered by French and Spanish, saying that it is contrary to principles of internationalization and the equality of the

> > OBITUARY.

Vice-Admiral Grenfe'l Dead.

London, February 20.

The late Vice-Admiral Grenfell was born on March 9, 1845. He entered the Nevy at the age of 13, being made a Cap.

A Chinaman was sentenced to three tain in 1886.—He served in the Egyptian war of 1882, receiving the Egyptian war Medal and Khedive's bronze star, and in service pension. Two years later he was Yenisseisk. appointed Rear Admiral and last year was promoted Vice Admiral, being appointed to the Mediterranean Station, and subsequentiy to Second in Command of the China Station. Vice-Admiral Grenfell was

awarded a C.M.G. in 1900.-ED. C.M.] THE ANGLO-JAPANESE

ALLIANCE.

The Opinion of Liberals.

LONDON, February 20. Lord Ripon, speaking in the House of Lords, said the Government accepted the progress of the Bill. Angle-Japanese treaty in the spirit in which it was made, and firmly intended to strictly and readily carry out its obligations. In conclusion he said that we were proud of any connection with a gallant nation like

Trouble Threatening.

LONDON, February 2. In an interview with a correspondent of Eclair, of Paris, the Moroccan Pretender says he intends to attack Saidai soon with forty thousand soldiers.

The Paris correspondent of The Times says that the prolouging of the Morocco conference is attributable to the troubles in

Earthquake in Panama.

WASHINGTON, February An cartiqueke shock is reported Pauama. The Canal works have been Also that "the Shanghai Tug and Lighter buried in some places, said tolegraph lines have been broken.

The Plague in India. A telegram from Calcutta, dated February 2, states that there were only 3,747 plague deaths in the whole of India

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PRESIDENT PALLIBRES SPEAKS.

APPEAL TO PATRIOTISM

The Duty of the Army.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bombay).

London, February 21, M. Fallieres, the President of France, Deputies and the Senate emphasized the stability of the present regime, and appealed to all Republicans for co-

the country. He pointed out that it was the sacred duty of the army to defend the country and the flag, and to offer menace to no other nation.

operation in upholding the welfare of

EXPLOSION AT KHARTOUM.

IN THE BRITISH BARRACKS.

(Exclusive Service, Supplied by Reuter, via Bombay).

London, February 21. It is reported from Egypt that a

terrible explosion has taken place in

the British Barracks at Khartoum. The extent of the destruction wrought has not yet been made known. though it is believed to have been

Ex-Premier's Speech in London.

["STRAITS TIMES" BERVICE]

LONDON, February 13. Mr A. J. Balfour was a guest at a banquef

given yesterday evening (12 Feb.) in hon-our of the newly elected members for the Uity of London.

Mr. Balfour delivered a speech in which he reiterated previously made statements in favour of a retaliation tariff policy, for carrying out which it was needless to intobe dealt with for some years.

Therefore, Mr. Balfour maintained, it was of no use to quarrel over methods of tariff reform, so long as the Unionist Party

Mr Balfour concluded by dwelling upon

to criticize the Government.

Reuter's correspondent in Peking says-

Rebels Punished in China.

that the Chinese Government have ordered The death of Vice-Admiral Grenfell is the execution of Chang-pu-sien, a rebelringleader, and the punishment of other

Workmen Punished in Russia.

Sixty-five Councillors belonging to the Workmen's Party in St. Petersburg have 1898 he was awarded the Captain's good been deported to Archangel, Tobolsk, and

Greece and Roumania.

LONDON Feb. 14. The political relations between Greece and Roumania, which have long been highly strained, have received a fresh blow by the expulsion of a number of well-to-do Greeksfrom Roumania. These Greeks belonged to the Helleismos

Society, which sims at Pan-Hellenism, and which was the promoter of agitation in In the Greek Chamber of Deputies, the military members opposed the Bill to ex-

clude military efficers from membership.

They indulged in obstruction to check the M. Theotokis, the Premier, suspended A dissolution of the Chamber or the re-

Obituary.

signation of the Cabinet is threatened.

The death is announced of Mr Jeffreys, M. P. for Hampshire.

Dense Fog.

There has been a dense fog enveloping the Colony during the past few days, and it has greatly hampered shipping. The "Yawata Maru," for instance, has been anchored outside since Monday night. She came in this morning.

Shanghai Dividends.

Messrs Bonjamin, Kelly, and Potts have received a telegram to say that "The Shanghai Sumatra Tobacco Company, Ltd. has declared a final dividend of Tis. 3 making in all Tis. 5 per share for the year." Company, Limited, has declared a final dividend of Tls. 3 for the ordinary and Tls. 1.75 for the preference shares, making in all Tle. 5 and Tle. 34 respectively, for the year ended 31st December, 1905."

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CONNAUGHT HOUSE HOTEL.

Late Proprietors Bankrupt.

In the Bankruptcy Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court this morning, before the Chief Justice (His Lorship Sir Francis Piggott), Mr. H. Hursthouse made an application that the Hong Lok Hee Tai firm, lately trading as hatel propelators, be adjudicated bankrupt. Mr Hursthouse atated that at a meeting of creditors held on February 16 no resolution was passed. His Lordship granted the application, appointing Mr Wakeman Trustee.

A BANKRUPT'S ESTATE.

Claim for Costs.

Hung Huen Bank. Mr C. F. Dixon made | membership, and several were given last an application for the costs incurred in the evening by Mrs Brown, the indefatigable action San Wing Cheung rersus the Ho secretary. Fuck Cauk firm. Mr Dixon stated that on October 25, in consequence of the abscord- among those who sang were Mrs Piercy, to the requirements of Ordinance No. 6 of Scheme-The dam, which will be about 100 ing of the managing partner of the Ho Fuek Mrs Edwards and Mr Bateman, Chuk he issued a writ against the firm and well as the choir of the Wesleyan obtained an attachment order on the pro- Church under the leadership of Mi perty, which attachment was executed on White. Altogether a very enjoyable even- ing of Chinese Ordinance of 1899, which shortly be utilized for conveying the water the same day. By so doing he submitted ing was spent, and all who were present that he had preserved the estate for the appreciated the kindness of those who creditors and was entitled to his coats. assisted at the concert. On the day on which the attachment was executed the debtor's property was to he sold and he was instrumental in having the sale cancelled.

Mr Wakeman opposed the application, contending that the plaintiff should have filed a patition in bankruptcy and applied for an interim receiving order, when the costs would not have been incurred.

After considerable argument His Lord ship intimated that he would consider th matter and give his decision later.

AFTER MANY REMANDS.

Italians Charged With Murder.

Ruedo Antonio Riva and Rica Giovann Giacchino, natives of Italy, were charged before Mr F. A. Hazeland, at the Magis- usually betrays a lack of kindly feeling. tracy this morning, with having committed the crime of murder within the jurisdiction to-day :of the Italian Consul at Mongree, Yunnan. The men were first brought before the cour locally on December il last year on a demand for extradition but owing to the non-arrival of some of the papers have been remanded week by week ever since.

secuted and Chev. Volpichelli, Italian Consul, was in court to watch the case. The evidence tended was documentary and was read to the defendants in Italian, translations being handed to the court. The man with whose murder the accused were charged was a fellow countryman and was employed in the mines at Mongize.

According to a statement made by the first defendant he and the second defendant. together with a man named Bainti, lived together in the same house. On the evening of the date in question the second defendant and this man camp home an asked defendant to get up out of bed and have something to drink. At first he did not do so and the two who lived in the house sat down together drinking for some time when Bainti called the second defendant a pig and said that he had made him drink half a bottle of brandy. They had a quarrel and came to blows and defendant had to set up and separate them. Bainti then said that he wished to go to sleep and would report what had occurred in the morning to the superintendent. Defendant told him that he should not do so as h was also in the wrong and he and Bainti then quarrelled and Bainti told him and the second defendant to go outside of the house as he did not care if he had kill them both. Defendant had his back towards Bainti at this time and on Bainti pulled the trigger but the cartridge missed fire and defendant caught hold of his arm and after a struggle get possession into his pocket to draw another weapon and defendant struck him on the arm with the stock of the rifle. He thought that he was trying to draw a revolver that he had seen him carrying a few days before. Banti could not get the revolver out of his pecket tion and struck defendant on the face with After this several blows were struck and defendant and Banti then went to bed the latter saying "until to-morrow."

still in bed. He said that he had been out during the night and fell and "smashed his head," A doctor and male nurse attended Bolnti. The rorse said that he come and live in the village to be attended. Conversation so concected will leave no Defendant accompanied him to the boat to go to the village and after that knew foul flavour. nothing of what occurred. Bainti died of the would in his head,

which turned out to be a badly fractured skuil. The case was proceeding when our report

HE UNDERSTOOD.

"Willie," said | an interesting young mother to her first-born, "do you know what the difference Is between body and soul? The soul, my child, is what you love with the body carries you about. This is your body," touching the little fellow's shoulder, "but there is something a Paradise to live in. deeper in. You can feel it now. What is

"Oh, I know," said Willie, with a flash of intelligence in his eyes, "that's my tion, and the best result which life has to fiannel shirt !"

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Worsester, Cape Colony, Standard, havings." says': For the past seven years, or since we have been in South Africa, Chamber-Isin's Cough Romedy has always been kept in our household. My wife has found it to be invaluable with the children and croupy | VI thing. That's why so many of them symptoms have disappeared with astonish- tike Steams' Wine of Cod Liver Oil whening but pleasing rapidity under its influ- ever they feel the need of a good tonic and ence. For sale by All Declers : WATKINS blood builder. Tastes good, does good. & Co., Ltd., General Agenta,

THE HONGKONG THEFERANCE UNION.

This unpretentions Union which in a quiet way has done and is doing good worl among the Service men, especially in Hong; kong, held its annual meeting last evening in the Sailors and Soldiers' Home, Arsenal Street. A sumptuous ten was arranged the Thope, Major-General VILLIERS HATthe find about one hundred but down to

enjoy it. After the tea a concert was given. The gathering was large.

The Rev. C. Bone the retiring president presided over the first part of the concert after which he handed the control over to the incoming president, the Rev. Mr

The financial position at the close of the lie Works). your was not specially prosperous but the year had closed with one dollar and some cents in hand. It is the rule of the Union Re the Ho Fuck Chuk firm ex parte the to give a medal for one year's continuous

CONVERSATIONAL PAUPERISM.

Many can argue, not many converse.

talk turns towards personalities gives colour | consideration. to the charge; and proof is afforded by the personalities. To make one's neighbours the varying constant of conversation betrays opportunities to rotail, perhaps magnify, their failings, foibles, faults or frailties

Trust not to each accusing tongue, As most weak persons do. But still believe that story false, Which ought not to be true.

But it (would appear as though a curious contradiction obtains in our day. Hospitable Captain Superintendent Badeley pro. people, who are careful concerning the sequence I have brought in this additional The Hon. Mr Poll, ck.—Will the Governdecoration of their dining tables and bill to limit the scope of the previous one. ment procure and lay upon the table an coats. particular in preparing only the best viands yet offer their guests a compôte of social garbage. In some cases Scandal seems to some time, made various suggestions with Barker Road. rank as a triumph of the chef."

Travelling in the Peak Tram is usually associated with pleasure, maskee fog; but sometimes loud speaking people would do suggestions are embedded in the present which is not of great unblic importance, it well to nite Swift's good bread rule "never say a thing which any of the company can reasonably wish had been left unsaid." Now and again the victims, are actually Bill the Government has been advised that present, frequently their relatives friends. In any case to be forced to overhear these tales is an intolerable infliction. And then for the victim himself or herself! How often it means estrangement, the coldshoulder and the numerous slights of social ostracism!! And the wonder grows why.

and wherefore? frowned down pro bono publico. Upon all this, the retailing of good decent stories is an advance; but these do not contribute; much to helpful conversation unless the brain is too fagged for longer flights, or we in the Legislature of the Colony. are enjoying June, weather about St.

Valentine's day. Convergation on books is better, especially if it turns on the subject-matter rather than on the titles merely. But the whole area would be lifted if conversationalists would anew endeavour. to know all turning round to him saw that he had about something and something about a rifle pointed at his face. At that moment everything. Then in talk a subject would be taken up, much as Chinese boys play of the "City Hall" with a view to acquiring the bill was read a first time. shuttlecock. It would be passed about, the "Building" in order that it may be of the weapon. Bainti then put his hand every side would be touched, sidelights would be thrown upon it, historical and possible applications of it would be

mentioned and suggested. We are not arguing that all conversashould resemble a Johnsonian sentence. The ideal of social talk is not so much the production of a Schatz, but that we, like the Æslian harp, may catch Next morning defendant was first up inspiration of the passing breeze. Opinions and on returning from work found Bainti will be intermingled with arguments, takes with reasons, and jest with earnest. Of the four ingredients, the first is truth, The second good souse and kindness, the was not seriously injured but that he must third good humor and the fourth with

> Perhaps in Hongkong we need a few intellectual tonica. Suppose one were a HONGKONG MOOK IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT. to discuss semiously imporial and international topics as they actually loom up

Perhaps the Navy League, in conjunction with the Odd Volumes and the Literary Club, could and would take this into consideration. Or other and better suggestions

may be made. But whatever will promote improved conversation will make Hongbong more of

Emerson said, "Wise, cultivated, genial conversation is the best flower of civilisaoffer us-a cup for gods, which has no repeatance. Conversation is our account A Prominent Publisher Endorses of ourselves. All we have, all wo can, all we know is brought into play, and is the AR Leen C. Streeter, proprietor of the reproduction in finer form of all our

It is worth culture.

THEN OF SENSE on appreciate a good

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

His Excellency Sir Matthew Nathan Governor of the Colony, presided at meeting of the Legislative Council which was held this afternoon. There were also also proBest :-

His Excellency the Officer Commanding

Hon. Mr T. SERCOMBE SMITH (Colonial Hon. Sir Henny Bennetey, Kt., (Attornev General). Hon. Mr A. M. THOMSON, (Colonial

Hon. Mr A. W. BREWIN (Registrar General). Hon, Mr W. CHATHAM (Director of Pub-

Hon. Capt. Barves Lawrence (Harbour Hon. Dr ho Kai.

Hon. Mr Wei A Yuk. Hon. Mr Gershom Stewart. Hon. Mr H. E. Pollock, K.C. Mr A. G. M. FLETOHER (Acting Clerk

his Excellency the Governor—The need The concert was not a long one, and for the meeting of the Council to-day is due

at any rate, two years. which are referred to below, His Excellency | New Law Courts, will be completed that the quality of modern conversation is a proceeded with until the complete legis- of 1909. deterioration, or, without unduly lauding lative programme for the year is ready, but The Hon. Mr Pollock-Is it the intention by-gone times, is not worthy of our pro- as they were drafted I thought it advisable of the Government to make a road from gressive age. The frequency with which that they should be introduced to give the top Tram Station to Plantation Road?

persistent gaze at the seamy side of Further Amendment Ordinance, 1998, and with the owners of the Peak Hotel, a porthe object of it is to confine the Summary | tion of the road referred to, where it affects | but his Lordship concluded as follows :-Offences Amendment Ordinance to the their property, is to be made now. When main purpose of that Ordinance-the sup- this arrangement has been fulfilled, the intellectual poverty; to use conversational pression of soliciting by prostitutes in the Government will complete the road. The ship) has a maritime lieu for disbursements stresss. Honorable members may recollect estimated cost of doing this is 88,390. that on the second reading of that hill last | The Hon. Mr Pollock-Will the Governyear an amendment was introduced which ment procure and lay before the Council private streets. This was passed by the coun- from the point of its junction with the cil, but I was afterwards informed by Wanchai Gap Road so that it may lead Council that none of the Unofficial Mem. of the Mahommedan Cemetery? bills they did not understand and in con- of the Hou. Member will be considered. who was acting as Police Magistrate for Peak - (a) back to Victoria Gap, (b) to defendant was dismissed in favour

regard to the jurisdiction of Magistrates. read til a second time.

With regard to the Lunatics Amendment while there is authority at Common Law regarding the detention of lunctics it will be better to make eletatory provision and this bill is for that purpose.

The necessity for the Lonsoy Ordinance arose from the fact that the powers of the Supreme Court in relation to the person and estates of lunatics has hitherto been conferred by the Imperial Ordinance of 1830 which extended the Imperial Lunacy Surely this sort of thing may well be regulations Act of 1853 to the Colony. This Act has now been superseded but the supersession of the Home Act does not entail the continuance of the Act here, and the Chief Justice has advised that the new Act should take the place of the former Act

The Hun: Attorney General moved that "The Summoning of Chinese Ordinauce, 1899," shall be continued in operation | mind. for the further period of two years from the 31st-day of March, 1906 inclusive.

The Colonial Secretary seconded and the motion was carried.

The Hon. Mr Gershem Stewart - Will the Government take into consideration the advisability of approaching the Proprietors altered to meet the necessity of the growing community 7

The Colonial Secretary—Yes. The Hon. Mr Pollock-Will the Government state what stops are being taken to educate the Chinese tenants of houses in which are applicable to the houses in which following minutes were considered and

The Colonial Secretary-No stops are being taking to educate the Chinese tenents of houses, but instruction in Hygiere has been introduced into the curriculum of most Government and Grant-in-aid Schools in the Colony, with the results in the first year, that are set forth in the paper laid on

ho table this offernoon. The Hou. Mr i clock-For what purpess was Robinson Road, Kowloon, opened up and on what date? When is it anticipated that the work will be completed and the Contribution in connection with Signalling road restored to its proper state?

Flen. Mr W: Chatham -. The question is understood to refer to a trench recently opened from Middle Road northwards for the purpose of raising a water main conse- at the Peak. quent upon the level of the read having been raised. It was not possible to carry out this work simultaneously with the construction of storm water drains and sewers recently undertaken. The opening item :was begun on the 8th. Bebruary and it is anticipated that the work will be completed | Bucleriological Institute, \$2,844.94; and the read rescored to its proper state by vernment Civil Hospital-Extension of

the 3rd. March. ment state what stops they have inkyo. and what further stops they intend to take and when, in connection with the installa-I tion of a system of fire-alarms? Will the Governmentalso state what is the ostimated cost of such installation?

in 1905 has made inquiries in London as 17, Lyemus, 82,000.00. to the system of fire slares in use by the Metrop litan Fire Brigade, and reported that the system was not considered to be completed? entirely antisfactory.

Reference was then made to Singapore to learn how the "Gamewell System." Office ? reported to be in operation there, was

The topy after some delay was that ! there was no fire alarm system of any kind It is proposed to instruct, Mr E. R.

Hallifax Assistant Superintendent o Police, who is going on leave this Spring, to make full inquiries into the systems in vogue in Great Britain and Ireland but until his report is received no estimate of the cost can be framed.

The Hop Mr Pollock - Will the Governman's at the what progress has been useds with the works for the extension of water storage at Tytam and at Tytam Tuk and at Kowloon ! Will the Government also state when these respective works are likely to be completed 1

Hon. Mr Chatham-Tytam Tuk Scheme -First Section : The dam, which will be about 9) feet in height above ground level, has been constructed for fully half its height. The new road is far advanced. about 3/4 mile of main has been laid and the erection of the pumping engines is about to be begun. It is anticipated that the whole of the works will be completed by the end of this year and that the dam will be completed in time to enable the reservois to be filled during the coming wet season. Tytam Tuk Schome-Second Section

Surveys in connection with the preparation of working drawings are proceeding. Kowloon Water Works Gravitation as 1887, and that the Jury lists for the year, | feet in height above ground level, has been which come into force in Murch next, are | constructed for half its height. The main to be considered by the Council. It is also from the Storage Reservoir to the Service necessary to-day to continue the Summon- Reservoir is nearly completed and will expires of March 80. This Ordinance from several perennial streams, thus enables the Registrar General to summon materially increasing the present supply. Chinese from the New Territories for the The filter beds and catchwater are in propurpose of any inquiry into matters concern- gress. It is anticipated that the whole of ing the inhabitants of these territories. It is the works will be completed by the middle not often used but it is desirable to have of next year but will be so far advanced as the powers and the Registra: General has to afford a sufficient supply for present

requested that it should be continued for, requirements by next dry season. The Hon. Mr Pollock-When is it antici-After explaining the various minutes, pated that (a) the New Post Office, (b) the who were charterers of the yessel. The There seems to be considerable agreement continued - In addition, four bills are down Hon. Mr Chatham-It is anticipated that to be read a first time. These will not be both buildings will be completed by the end

members the fullest possible time for their If so, when? What is the estimated cost of plicable, but the Chief Justice ruled other-

The first is the Summary Offences | Hon. Mr Chatham-By arrangement

extended its scope by making police regula- an estimate of the cost of prolonging suggested by Williams and Bruce to obtain Shoridan's dictum may well be observed tions which apply to public streets apply to Kennedy Road in a south-easterly direction from the master an assignment of his right often applied by his friends, to Mr George the Senior Unofficial Member of the down to the Raco Course at the back or an equivalent unffertaking, guaranteeing

bers understood the amendment and were Hon Mr Chatham-The question of imopposed to it. I need not say it was not proved communications in the locality the intention of the Government that referred to is at present receiving the at-Members of the Council should vote for tention of Government and the suggestion The second bill is the Magistrates estimate of the cost of continuing Harlech Amendment Ordinance. Mr Gompertz, Road round the North side of Victoria

Hon Mr Chatham-The cost is roughly Advantage was taken last year to smend estimated at from \$25,000 to \$30,000. As the Women and Girl's Protection Ordinance | there is no prospect of funds being available by adopting one suggestion and the other in the near future to carry out this work, hill, the details of which will be explained in not considered advisable at present to by the Attorney General when the bill is incur the expense of making the surveys preliminary to forming a detailed estimate.

> The Attorney General moved the first reading of a bill entitled an Ordinance to amend the Summary Offences (Amendment) Ordinance, 1905.

> the bill was read the first time.

farther to amend the Magistrates Ordinance. The Colonial Secretary seconded and the

bill was read the first time. The Attorney General moved the first provide for the establishment of Lunatio Asylums and to provide for the custody

and care therein of persons of unsound The Colonial Secretary seconded and the ill was road a first time. The Attorney General moved the first reading of a Bill entitled An Ordinance The following questions were put and I relating to the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court with respect to the care and commitment of the custody of the persons and

> estate of Lunatics. The Colonial Secretary seconded and

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE. A meeting of the Finance Committee. under the presidency of the Colonia Secretary; was hold at the conclusion o the principles of sanitation and ventilation | the Legislative Council meeting, when the

> COST OF ILLUMINATIONS, ETC. sum of \$2,000 to mact expenditure incurred by the Treasurer of the Reception Committee, and for illuminating the public this Colony of H.R.H. Prince Atthur of the would be robbers. The wounded and buildings in connection with the visit to

Connaught. SIGNALLING VESSELS. A sum of \$681.69 in aid of the vote Miscellaneous Services. Telegraph Service-Vessels and Messages to Observatory.

PER RIPL'S RANGE. A sum of \$5,250 in aid of the vote.

To revote a sum of \$65,201.14 and to vote \$6.020 in sid of the vote-Public Works Extraordinary, for the following

graff Quarter, \$3,000.00; Gunpowder Dopot, on board his ship. The Hon. Mr Pollock-Will the Govern. Green Island, 814,389.56; Harbour Office. \$6,926.53 Post Office, Shanghai, \$15,000: School. Yaumati, \$1,882; Tai Po. Quarters for Officers, \$5,086 : Volunteer Headquirters (Contribution), \$24.56; Mis-Cellaneous Deninage Works, \$.26.85; Kowloon Roads, \$5,800.00; Green Island | the Pacific, left England on the 20th inst-The Colonial Secretary-Since the 12th Light Improvement, \$88.02; Kowloon ant for Hongkong, via the Cape of Good of July, 1904, when a similar question was | Canton Railway-Survey and Preliminary | Hope. Upon arrival here the finishing naked by the Honourable the member f r work, \$10,532.68; Bacteriological Institute, touches to her excellent new passenger the Formosa Channel and moderate S E the Chamber of Commerce on behalf of the \$1,920.00; Gunpowder Depôt, Green accommodation will be given, and she will and S. winds over the N. part of the China Honoutable the member for the Justices Island, \$300.00; Green Island Light be ready to sail bence for Vancouver, via | Sea. of the Peace, Mr. Wodehouse, Assistant Improvement, \$1.800.00; Compensation Shanghai, Nagasaki, Rebe and Yokohama,

> Hon. Mr Chatham-It is finished. Hon. Mr. Pollock-And the Harbour Passengers. This vessel will be a decided

Hon. Mr Chatham - Within a few

MAGISTERIAL EXPENSES. A sum of \$3,040 in sid of the vote Judicial and Legal-Departments for the following items :---

Magistracy, New Territories, Other Charges, Furnishing of the New Tai Po Quarters... \$1,520 Land Registry Office, New Territories, Other Charges,

Furnishing of the New Tai Po

Quarters

EXTRA MOSPITAL CHARGES: A sum of \$60) in aid of the vote, Medical Department-Other Charges, B .- Hospi tals and Asylums, New Territory, Rent of Temporary Dispensary at Tai Po.

THE "PAUL BEAU" CASE.

Judgment for Defendant.

In the Original Jurisdiction of Supreme Court this morning His Lordship Sir Francis Piggott (Chief Justice) gave judgment in the case Sam Wing firm versus the "Paul Bean." In this action the plaintiff sued the ship for necessaries supplied, in the shape of coal. Mr. M. W. Slade (instructed by Mr C. D. Wilkinson) M. J. D. Stephens) appeared for the 17th instant.

In giving judgment the Chief Justice stated that the coal was supplied to the ship by the plaintiff on the order of an agent for Messra Trevoux and Company, ship was subsequently seized but released on bail. The "Paul Beau" belonged to company carrying on business in France and flew the French flag. Mr Pollock had raised the point that French law was apwise. The judgment was a lengthy one and dealt mainly with the law on the subject,

" And it may be that as a master (of a the only course for suppliers of necessaries to adopt where there is a charter is tha to bring an action for disbursements in rem | Flett. that such action should be brought and carried on for the benefit of the material man, assuming that such an assignment

was guaranteed and valid in law." Judgment was given for defendant with

A GALLANT FARMER.

Defeats Four Robbers.

A hand of four robbers who made an attempt to plunder a farmer living at Tsun | found respect. But there was no time to Wan, New Territory, on January 21 last met ask any questions. The young officer with a decided reverse. Contrary to the stood aside as the train moved on, saluted usual custom amongst Chinese the farmer in military fashion, and was soon lost to The Colonial Secretary seconded, and did not eit quietly down and allow himself sight. The two ladies formed many conto be robbed, but put up a very gallant jectures about him, but it was not until The Attorney General moved the first fight and succeeded in vanquishing his some days later, when they saw their

he four to one.

The farmer was asleep in his house at about 2.3) a.m. on the date mentioned when he was disturbed by two men reading of a Bill entitled an Ordinance to i breaking in through the roof and two more smashing in the door. The robbers were armed with revolvers, but, nothing the advisability of ferming a junior club in daunted, the farmer turned out of hed and seizing a large iron pointed spear proceeded to repel the intruders. They fired two shots but proved bad markemen, and no one was hurt, while the farmer, much mere, and who are not desirous of joining other certain of his sim, transfixed one of the robbers in the thigh with his spear.

farmer then made a lunge at a second man who was escaping by the roof, and although guaranteed membership. The club will he missed him the latter, in his hurry to escape, and in avoiding the spear fell off the roof, and sprained his ankle. Two were thus accounted for, and the farmer then turned his attention to the other two who sought safety in flight. The farmer pursued and at last the robbers seeing it was their only chance turned on him. After an encounter the farmer was con nelled to retire and the robbers seizing the oppor-

tunity again made off. Thus the man of agriculture defended his life and property and completely defeated injured men were subsequently arrested. but as the farmer was unable to recognise them they had to be liberated.

BY WHARF AND WAVE.

a distance of about 170 pards. It is for Public Works Extraordinary, Rifle Range February 7, states :- The Marine Court (Library) G. T. Lloyd and W. F. L. investigating the stranding of the British Adolphy, and eight of the committee will India steamer "Waroonga" has framed act as ballotting committee. There should charges against Captain Charles Scott be a successful future for this club, as it Forbes of committing gross nots of misconduct on December 29th and January 1st by being under the influence of liquor and Incapable and endangering the lives of those

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's S.S. " Monteagle", which has been detached from the Company's Atlantic Fleet to Japan. supplement their Intermediate Service on Superintendent of Police, whilst on leave to Lessens of Quarries D. 16 and D. on the 2nd May, making her due at do showery stination on the 16th May, as per schedule. Flon. Mr Pollock-When is the Green The "Monteagle" is a twin scrow, bilge Island Light Improvement likely to be Reel, steamship of 5,500 tone, has accommodation for 125 Intermediate, also for 30 to 40 European Steerage (3rd Class) acquisition to the already favourably known

Railway Company.

ANOTHER ROBBERY AT CANTON.

French Consulate Entered.

The native papers report another robbery from a European house on the Shamson. This time the robbery was effected at the French Consulate. It is said that several hundred dollars' worth of property was

This happened on the 18th of the Chinese month. On the 22nd of the month, in the evening, a man was discovered in the house, and arrested. He affirmed that one Chan, presumably a servant, had ordered him to come to carry out some burden. This Chan denied. He was therefore arrested, and handed over to the magistrate. In the examination nothing could be elicited from him. Two men from a Hong near have also been arrested, and examined but nothing could be discovered. However these three men have been detained in the official prison.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Capt. E. Mc. M. Seddon and Lieut. T. represented the plaintiff and the Hon. Mr | A. Whyte, R. G. A. passed in Hindustani H. E. Pollock, K. C. (instructed by Mr Colloquial at an examination held on the

> According to Garrison Orders: "During the absence on leave of the Rev. U. Bone. Officiating Wesleyan Chaplain, from 24th February to 9th March his duties will be performed by the Rev. Dr Rees, B.A.B. Số," The Rev. Mr Bone goes to Singapore to meet Mrs and Miss Bone on their way back from England.

Mr George Flett, of the firm of Dick Kerr and Co., who was recently in Singapore on a tour of inspection of his firm's interests in the Far East, will soon be in Hongkong and then goes to Japan and returns to England via Canada. In addition to his professional talents and social accomplishments. Mr Flett is a keen yachtsman and his schooner, the "Evelyn," won a prize presented by the German Emperor at the Regatta at Kiel. This accounts for the sobriquet of The Admiral

Two English ladies were recently travely ling in Italy when they found themselves obliged to get fresh tickets, but when and where they were at loss to understand. their knowledge of Italian being extremely limited. Seated in their compartment was a young officer who, seeing their distress, counter-claim put forward by came to the rescue in excellent English. and not only gave them the necessary information, but, accompanying the elder lady to the booking office, took the tickets and escorted her back to the waiting train. Rolfeved from her anxiety, her mind awoke to two facts of which abe had mind awoke to two facts of which also had already been dimly sware—viz., that they wore walking on red carpet, also that the officials were saluting her guide with pro-

reading of a Bill entitled An Ordinance availants, although they outnumbered him friend of the tickets seated in a royal carriage, returning the salutes of his faithful-people, that they realised that their kind helper was the King of Italy

> Last evening a number of young men assembled for the purpose of considering Horgkong. It was agreed that there was much need of such an institution in the Colony for there are many young-men here who are not members of the senior club existing institutions. It was therefore decided to form the St. George's Club, and . This laid the man hors de combat, and the to rent quarters in Ice House Street at a reptal within the means of the present commence on March 1st, and it speaks much for the paraetness of the venture when - those present subscribed n less a sum than \$2,500 as a loan without interest to cover the cost of a billiard table and furniture. Thanks to cheques kindly given by H.E. Major-General Villiers-Hattop, the Honourable Mr R. Shewan and the Hon. Mr Gershom Stewart, and thu gifts of members, the club is already able to start a small but useful library. The following officers were elected :- Vice-President: Mr A. Cunningham, Hop. Sec. and Trees.: Captain T. Marchant, A.P.D.; Committee: (Refreshment and Billiards) Messrs. G. Cunningham; J. A. Tarrant, T. Chee, A. E. Crapnell; (Drametic) G. Burnett, E. A. M. Williams, A. T. Walstow, J. Northam ; (Musical) H. K. Chambers, G.

> > WEATHER REPORT. The following notice is issued by Mr Figg of the Hongkong Observatory :--On the 22nd at 12. 5p. The barometer

has fallen on the China coast and over E.

Pressure is highest over N E Japan, and low pressure extends over S. Chins and the Pacific towards S W Japan. Moderate variable winds are indicated in

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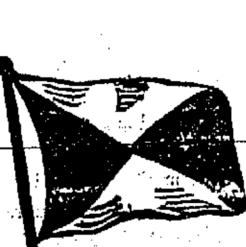
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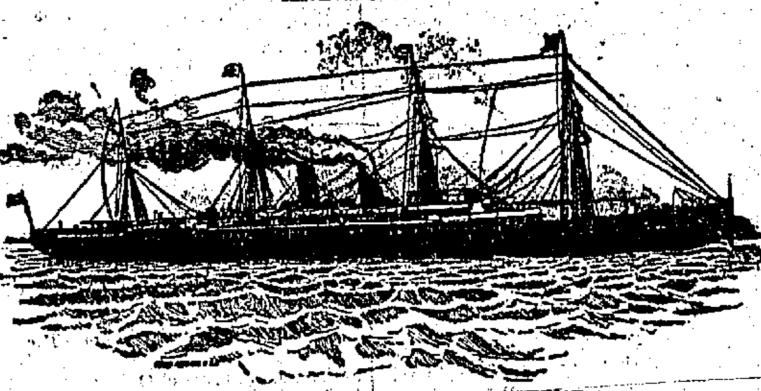
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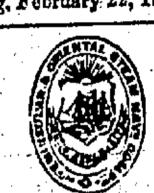
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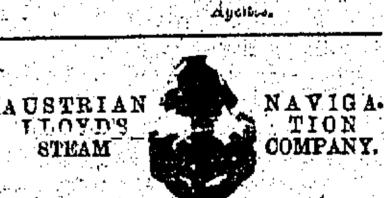
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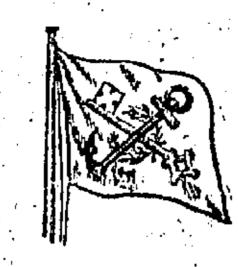
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G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, February 20, 1906.

Notices to Consignees. BROCKLEBANK LINE TO THE FAL

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND

SINGAPORE.

Company's Stermship Bengali, having arrived. Consignees of Cargo being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongxong and Kow-LOON WHARF AND GODOWN CO., LIMITED, whence delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be discharged here, unless notice to the contrary be given im-

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Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SANDER, WIELER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, Fabruary 21, 1906.

'SHIRE' LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON AND STRAITS. THE Steamship RADNORSHIRE. Captain C. H. BURCH, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of

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are to be left, in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 27th February, at No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by BHEWAN, TOMES & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, February 21, 1906. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO.'S

STEAMER, JAVA. FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, MALTA PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are hereby informed hat their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hondsong and KOWLOON WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignloods are landed.

Ontional goods will be landed here uness instructions are given to the contrary - INCORPOBATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853, Liore 6 Hours. -Goods not cleared by the 25th Inst. at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE me in any case whatever.

colowns for examination by the Condigness and the Co. s representatives at an appointed hour. All plaims must be presented within ten days of the steamers arrival here, after which date they cannot pe recognised. No claims will be admitted the goods have left the Codowns. E A. HEWETT. Superintendent. Hongkong, February 19, 1906.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMER OOEANIEN.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London

ok B.s. Makapan; from HAVBE ex 8.5. Matapan, in connection with Steamer, are hereby informed their Goods, with the exception Opium, Trosottio and Valuabies, ata being landed and acored no lineir risks into the hazardona and/or extra hazardoug Godowas of the Hongsons & Kow LOON WHARF and GODOWN DOMPANY, LAD. at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless intimution in received from the Consignees before 2 F.M., To-DAY, requesting. to be landed hero. Bills of Lading will be countersigned

the Undersigned, and Goods remaining unclaimed after MONDAY, the 20th This splendid Steamer is specially fitted February, 1908, at Noon, will be subject to All claims must be soft in to me on before the 26th February, or they will not All damaged packages will be examined

on MONDAY, the 26th February, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been offected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, February 19, 1908.

## Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINGULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION: COMPANY'S STEAMER FORMOSA.

FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS

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### COCHIN CHINA AND THE EXPOSITION.

Elaborate arrangements are being made by the French Government to carry out a Colonial Exposition at Marseilles from April 15 to November of this year. All the French colonies, without exception, have signified their intention to participate. An area aggregating 30,000 square meters has been reserved, in front of and a little to the right of the grand palace, for L.do- Swike. China, and in the centre of this space a pavilion is to be erected in which will be displayed the principal products of that colony and the exhibits relating to its official administration. Cochin-China will also be represented by a payllion in the form of a native pageds. The same idea has been carried out with respect to the other French colonies in Asia, Tenkin being represented by an exact replica of a paroda in the outskirts of Bac Ninh, Annam, by a reproduction of the Pageda of Confucius at Hue, and Cambodge by a reproduction of one of the towers of Baion on the famous pagoda at Ankor-Wat. The products of Laos have also been collected into a special | Gillivray, Snanghai Feb. 18, General,pavilion situated in this section and in McGrecon Bros. & Gow. addition, two streets of Hanoi and Saugon are reproduced, with all their shops, stores, artisans, etc., peopled by real natives of this interesting region,

## TROUBLE IN INDIA.

## Foud Against British Officers.

ALLAHABAD, February 6. The Pioneer says: We referred a short time ago to a report from the Waziristan Border that a band of ten Mahauda were known to be abroad with the openly 16, Rice. - JARDINE, MATHERON & Co. avowed intention of murdering British officers. It appears that revenge and not Ohta, Tamsui, via Amoy and Swatow Feb: fanaticism was the cause of the assassins. 21, General.—Osaka Shosen Kaisha. tions last year and that a certain section of tribesmen have sworn a blood-fend against our officers. The execution of the Lovy sepoy who killed Colonel Harman was followed by imprisonment of other men privy to the crime. Their relatives took up the quarrel and the result was the shooting of Captain Donaldson at Bannu on the 16th November. The Mullah Powindah is Kwangtah, for Shanghai. more than suspected of being a consenting party, if not the instigator of both these crimes, as the murderers belong to his section of the clan. Again Jambil, who murdered Mr Kelly in the Gumal, some years ago was recently caught at Sarwakai while attempting to escalade the fort there nt night, his object being to kill the Naib Tahasildar. This was in revenge for the imprisonment of his son for raiding. Jambil was no sconer lodged in gaol than the members of his family declared a blood feud against all British officers. This is the position at the present time and it is one that calls for the greatest alertness at all our border posts in the Derajet and also at-Sarwaksi and Wano on the edge of Mahsud

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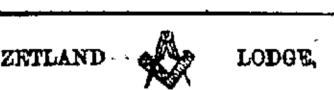
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### LIMITED. NOTICE.

THE ORDINARY HALF YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the CUMPANY'S HOTEL on SATURDAY, the Frd March, 1908, at 13.15 P.M., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts of the Company to the 31st December, 19 5, with the Report of the Directors, and to discuss any matter | For SWATOW .that may be competently brought before the Meeting.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th February, to the 3rd March, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board,

Hongkong, February 22, 1906.



No. 525, E.O. REGULAR MEETING of ZETLAND

A LODGE will be held at the FREE-MASONS' HALL, on THURSDAY, the Ist March, at 8.30 for 9 r.m. precisely. Visiting Brothren-are cordially invited to sttend. Hongkong, February 22, 1908.

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General Managers. Hongkong, February 22, 1906. BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGA-

TION COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM RANGOON AND STRAITS.

THE Company's Steamship Palameotla, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alenguide. Cargo impeding the discharge or re-maining on board after 4 r.m., FRIDAY,

the 25rd Inst., will be landed at Consigness risk and expense. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Houghong, February 22, 1906.

## SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. February 21.

Palameotto, British str., 2,208, T. P. Babb, Rangoon and Singapore February 15, General. - JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongmoh, British steamer, 2,554, Wm. Dawson, Rangoon via Straits February 6, General.-CHINESE.

Machew, German str., 995, T. Harjes, Bangkok Feb. 15, Rice. - BUTTERFIELD & February 22.

Diomed, British str., 3,005, J. Young, Liverpool and Singapore Feb. 16, General, BUTTERVILLD & SWIBE. Helene, Gorman steamer, 771; J. Jessen, Tourane via Hoihow February 20, Coal General, -Jensen & Co.

Germania, German str., 1,713, Petersen, Saigon Feb. 17, Rice. - JEBBEN & Co. Haimun, British str., 636, A. J. Robson, Amoy and Swatow February 21, General. -DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP Co.

Yawata Maru, Japanese str., 2,366, N. Mathieson, Japan February 16, General. -Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Glenstrae, British steamer, 3,054, J. Mc-

Clara Jebsen, German steamer, 1,103, J. Jwersen, Salgon February 18, General .-

JEBSEN & Co. Fri. Norwegian steamer, 860, C. Wagle, Chefoo Feb. 16, Vermicelli. - AAGAARD, The Imp. German Mail 8.8. Zieten loft Mr A. Cruickshank Mrs G. H. Penne THOREBEN & Co.

Decima, German str., 749, H. Schlaikier, Amoy Feb. 19, General. - OSARA SHOSEN Antenor, British str., 9,563, R. Williams,

Yokohama Feb. 6, General.—BUTTERFIELD Wai-shing, British steamer, 1,170, M. Courteney, Wuhu Feb. 13, and Chinkiang Daigh Maru, Japanese str., 900, H.

DEPARTURES

Hupeh, British str., from Canton.

February 22. Thyra, for Kutchinotzu. Orozon of Castle, for Newcastle. Triumph, for Hongay. Avenrade, for Hoihow. Jacob Diederichsen, for Kebao. Loosok, for Bangkok. Nord, for Singapore.

Namsang, for Singapore and Calcutta. CLEARED. Arabia, for Kobe and Portland, Or.

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and Mrs Steadman. Per Haimun, from Amoy, &c., Messrs H. G. Dowler, A. D. Fassett, Brackstone, The T. K. K. P.S. America Manu left Mr W. Cameron Sankowich, and 280 Chinese.

Per Yawata Manu, from Japan : for is expected to arrive here on or about Mr J. Cruickshank is expected to arrive here on or about Mr J. T. T. Delancy Per Yawata Maru, from Japan : for

To-day's Advertisements Hongkong, Mr K. Mori, Mr and Mrs A. Marques and 2 children, Mrs K. Sawada, Mesers Chas. Kahles and M. S. Husain; for Manila, Capt. and Mrs G. W. Connor, Mr R. S. Dougal, Mr Shiga, Mrs U. Okumura TINGLISH TRAINED NURSE accust for Sydney, Messra Wm. McCorquadale tomed to Children is desirous of and A. Littlejohn; for Melbourne, Mr and The P. & A. Co.'s s.s. Nicomedia sailed Mr and Mrs. H. W. Moulder

SHIPPING REFORTS

The British steamer Palamcotta reports: Light N.E. wind and fine weather. The British steamer Waishing reports From Woosung to Heishans, strong N.E. winds and high sea; thence to port, variable winds and fog.

## POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close:-

For AMOY & MANILA .-Ver Zafiro, at 8 a.m., on Friday, the 23rd February.

Per Haimun, at 9 a.m., on Friday, the

For SWATOW & SHANGHAL -. Per Yiksang, at 11 a.m., on Friday, the 23rd Feb.

For MACAU. --Per Heungshan, at 1.15 p.m., on Friday, Becretary.
1908. 376 For AMOY. the 23rd Feb.

Per-Hongmon, at 2 p.m., on Friday, the Empress of Japan, Likin, Nanning, Mr.H. Frotsher 23rd Feb

For TIENTSIN .-Per Chihli, at 3 p.m., on Friday, the 29rd Feb.

For MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND. COOKTOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNS-VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, HOBART, LAUNCESTON, NEW ZEALAND, MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE & PERTH.-Per Yawata Maru, at 3 p.m., on Friday,

the 23rd Feb. For AMOY, STRAITS & RANGOON.--Per Palameotta, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 23rd Feb.

TURIA & TACOMA.--Per Tremont, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 24th February.

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MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .-The British Contract Packet Delhi will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 24th February, with Mails for the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements. Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.
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STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAU. [SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER]. Gisla, January 16; Armand Behic, Lochlay, 19; Rhaetia, Suevia, Lothian, 23; Mrs K. Anderson Capt. R. Innes Annam, Bengloe, Chazee, Munica, Mr and Mrs S. H.Mr and Mrs J. W. 28 ; Slavonia, Fallodon Hall, Glenearn, Austin and valet Afghan Prince, Borussia, Den of Kelly. Agamemnon, Ernest Simons, Mr F. M. Barschall Mr S. P E. Jokl Heliopolis, Feb. 2; Bendeueh, Mr H. G. BattiscombeDr and Mrs E. Evan Merionethshire, Scotra, In- Eng. Lieut. H. Limao, Menzell, 6; Bayern, Bell, R.N. Nubia, Teenkai, Tonkin, Vandalia, 9; Mr F. Bennet
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The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Delta with the ENGLISH MAIL of the 26th January, Singapore on Sunday, the 18th February, at 8 a.m., and may Mr C. M. G. Burnie Middendorf be expected here on or about Friday, the 23rd February, at 8 a.m.. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 26th December, and the parcel mails closed in London for despatch by the all sea route on the 17th of January and for

despatch overland on the 24th Jan. The P. M. S. S. Co. s s.s. Siberia, with Mr T. Clarke the American Mail, was expected to Mr W. E. Clarke leave Shanghai on Wednesday, the Eng. It, and Mrs H.Mr B. L. Packer 21st February, at 10 p.m., and may J. Clegg, R.N. be expected here on or about Friday, Mr H. E. Colvin the 23rd February.

Kobe, via Nagasaki and Shanghai on Mr G. Cunningham; father Sunday afternoon, the 18th February, and may be expected here on or about | Dr F. H. Davies Tuesday, the 27th February. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of India Mrs G. Ditmar left Yokohama on Friday afternoon,

the 16th February, for Victoria and Vancouver. Imperial German Mail s.s. Prinz Waldemar left Sydney on Saturday, the 17th February, at 3 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Baturday, the 10th March.

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The Barber Line s.s. Satsuma sailed from New York for China and Japan on the 26th January.

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from Portland on the 13th February, and should arrive in Hongkong about | Col. G. A. Furse March 13th. The Boston Tow Boat Co.'s s.s. Lyra sailed from Pugat Sound for Hongkeng, via

usual porte, on the 18th February. The a.s. Kutsana, from Calcutta and the Straits, left Singapore for this port on the 20th February, at 5 p.m.

Latest Advices. The Imp. German Mail s.s. Bayern carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 30th January left Colon be on 2 st February, n.m. and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the 3rd March.

The C. P. R. Co.'s e.s. Empress of China | Mr Roger J. Andap Mr Philipp Klimanc left Vancouver on Monday afternoon. Capt. T. Anderson, Mr Paul Lehrs the 19th February, for Hongkong, via R.A. the usual Ports of Call. The Great Northern 8.8. Minnewin left Mr. Charles B.own

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